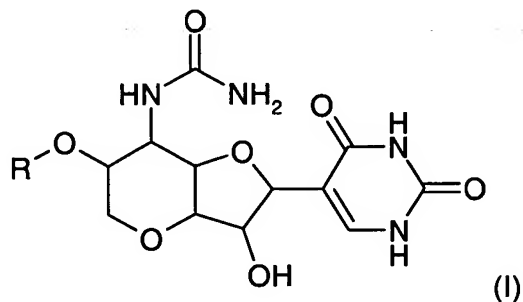


AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

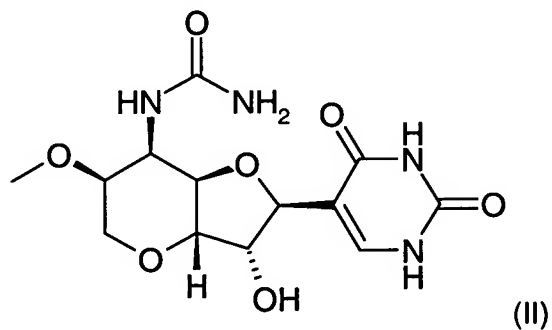
Please amend the claims as indicated below. This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Claim 1 (Original): A compound having the formula (I)

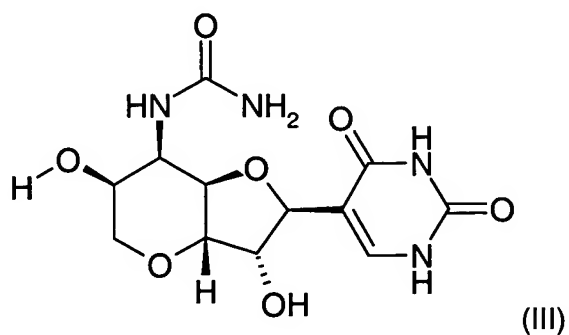


wherein R is H or CH₃.

Claim 2 (Original): A compound according to claim 1 having the formula (II)



Claim 3 (Original): A compound according to claim 1 having the formula (III)



Claim 4 (Previously presented): A compound according to claim 1 in the form of a whole fermentation broth containing such a compound; the solids of a whole fermentation broth containing such a compound; intact or lysed mycelia separated from a whole fermentation broth containing such a compound; the solids of such a whole fermentation broth containing such a compound after separation of intact or lysed mycelia; or such a whole fermentation broth containing such a compound after the separation of solids and the mycelia.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): A biocidal composition comprising a biocidally effective amount of a compound ~~as claimed in any one of the preceding claims~~ of formula (I) according to claim 1.

Claim 6 (Original): A composition according to claim 5 wherein said composition is a fungicidal composition comprising a fungicidally effective amount of a compound of formula (I) and a suitable carrier or diluent therefor.

Claim 7 (Original): A method of combating and controlling fungi which comprises treating the fungi or the locus of the fungi with a composition according to claim 6.

Claim 8 (Previously Presented): A method of combating or controlling phytopathogenic fungi according to claim 7 which comprises applying a fungicidally effective amount of a compound of formula (I), or a composition containing a compound of formula (I), to a plant, to a seed of a plant, to the locus of the plant or seed or to soil or any other plant growth medium.

Claims 9 – 20 (Previously Canceled)

Claim 21 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 8 wherein the plant growth medium comprises a nutrient solution.